

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
DALLAS DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, and  
the STATE of TEXAS ex rel.  
JAMES STEVE BURDICK, M.D,

Plaintiffs,

v.

BAYLOR UNIVERSITY MEDICAL  
CENTER, BAYLOR SCOTT & WHITE  
HEALTH, BAYLOR SCOTT & WHITE  
HOLDINGS. DIGESTIVE HEALTH  
ASSOCIATES OF TEXAS, P.A., TEXAS  
DIGESTIVE DISEASE CONSULTANTS  
PLLC, HEALTHTEXAS PROVIDER  
NETWORK,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 3:19-CV-00207-E

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA'S CONSENT TO DISMISSAL

1. On July 23, 2020, Relator James Steve Burdick filed a Notice of Dismissal pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(a)(1)(A)(i), dismissing Relator's claims under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, without prejudice.

2. The United States of America, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. § 3730(b)(1), consents to the dismissal of claims under 31 U.S.C. § 3729 so long as the dismissal is without prejudice to the United States.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

On July 24<sup>th</sup>, 2020, I electronically submitted the foregoing document with the clerk of court for the U.S. District Court, Northern District of Texas, using the electronic case filing system of the court. I hereby certify that I have served counsel for relator electronically or by another manner authorized by Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 5(b)(2).

/s/ Braden Civins

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